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- In order to offer any resistance to the Chinese Communists the Nationalists must have a government on the mainland of China, but not in the coastal areas. For this reason the Nationalist Government will be established in West China and will operate as it did during World War II.
- 2. WANG Shih-chieh advocated this move to the west some months ago, but the proposal was turned down because it was regarded as a scheme of the Political Science Clique to have the government in Szechuan where CHANG Chung and other members of the clique are powerful.
- 3. The Nationalists will hold Taiwan and Hainan Islands at all costs.

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